

RESOLUTION NO. 44
Heat-Up St. Louis Honors Mayor Francis Slay

WHEREAS, the organization Heat-Up St. Louis, Inc., is an invaluable nonprofit group devoted to advocacy, public education, and assisting citizens with paying utility bills in times of need; and

WHEREAS, Heat-Up St. Louis is celebrating its 16th year as a safety net for area seniors, the disabled, and low-income citizens; and

WHEREAS, the board of directors of Heat-Up St. Louis and Cool Down St. Louis nearly a decade ago named Mayor Francis Slay its honorary chair and its leadership advocate, and

WHEREAS, Mayor Slay through the years has joined the St. Louis Fire Department and Cool Down St. Louis volunteers to canvass for seniors and disabled people in need of a new or slightly used air conditioners donated by Cool Down St. Louis' partners; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Slay developed utility assistance funds from the Affordable Housing Trust Fund and continues to partner with the St. Louis Health Department and Heat-Up St. Louis; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting for us to pause to appreciate the mayor's leadership service with the Heat-Up St. Louis and Cool Down St. Louis efforts and his heeding the group's call to action.

NOW THEREFORE IT BE RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to congratulate Heat-Up St. Louis on its 16 years of service to the community and to recognize Mayor Francis Slay for his years of service to Heat-Up St. Louis. We further direct the Clerk of this Board to include a copy of this Resolution in the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a memorial copy for presentation at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this 3rd day of June, 2016, by:

The Honorable Lyda Krewson, Alderwoman 28th Ward

Adopted this 3rd day of June, 2016, as attested by:

Timothy O'Connell
Clerk, Board of Aldermen

Lewis E. Reed
President, Board of Aldermen